

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Robert Eugene Handfield Jr. <i>et. al.</i>	:	
APPLICATION NO.: 10/714,735	:	Examiner: Oh, Taylor V
FILING DATE: November 17, 2003	:	Group Art Unit: 1625
TITLE: IMPROVED PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF 1,3-SUBSTITUTED INDENES	:	

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

**COMMUNICATION FORWARDING DECLARATION OF ROBERT E. HANDFIELD
Jr. AND TIMOTHY J. WATSON UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132**

Pursuant to a teleconference with the Examiner held on April 11, 2007, applicants herewith provide a declaration of Robert E. Handfield Jr. and Timothy J. Watson in connection with the above identified application.

Accordingly, applicants respectfully submit that all issues have been addressed and that the subject application is in allowable form. The applicants request issuance of a Notice of Allowance. If a telephone interview is deemed to be helpful to expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is invited to contact applicants' undersigned attorney at the telephone number provided.

Respectfully submitted,

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